

TURKEY: Weekly National Fresh and Frozen Whole Young Turkeys (Fri) Agricultural Marketing Service, Poultry Market News & Analysis

Fri. Sep 28, 2012

Weighted Average Prices, cents per pound, F.O.B. Shipper Dock Basis - Week Ending September 28, 2012

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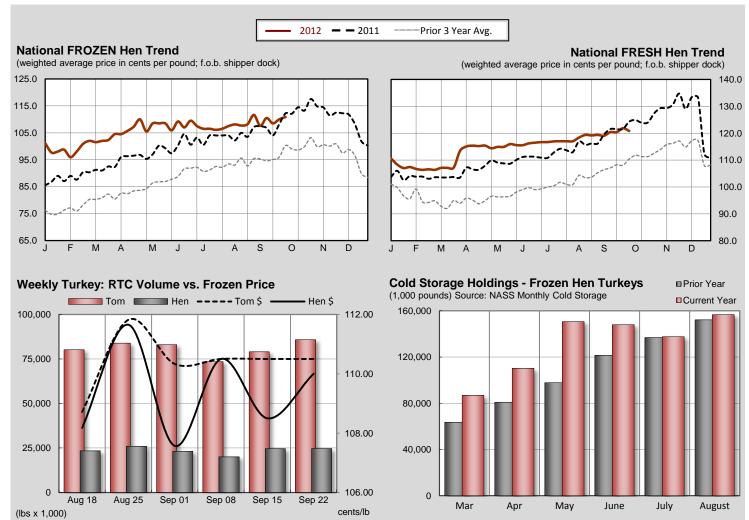
FROZEN Whole Body Turkeys - commodity pack or equivalent; minimum 10,000 lb lots; current negotiation for delivery within two weeks.

Curr		t Week	Last W	/eek	Last Year		
U.S. Grade A - FROZEN	wtd avg	volume	wtd avg	volume	wtd avg	volume	
	(cents/lb)	(000 lbs.)	(cents/lb)	(000 lbs.)	(cents/lb)	(000 lbs.)	
8-16 lb. (Hens)	110.86	301	110.00	80	112.20 ¹		
16-24 lb. (Toms)	112.56	25	110.50 ¹		109.90 ¹		

September Averages					
This	Last	Last			
Month	Month	Year			
110.54	108.53	109.79			
110.70	109.04	108.87			

FRESH Whole Body Turkeys - with timers; for delivery within the next seven days.

	Curren	t Week	Last Week		Last Year		September Averages		
U.S. Grade A - FRESH	wtd avg	volume	wtd avg	volume	wtd avg	volume	This	Last	Last
	(cents/lb)	(000 lbs.)	(cents/lb)	(000 lbs.)	(cents/lb)	(000 lbs.)	Month	Month	Year
Priced At Time Of Sale:									
8-16 lb. (Hens)	120.81	108.0	121.85	110.0	124.27	116.5	120.85	119.07	122.27
16-24 lb. (Toms)	120.73	55.0	121.45	55.0	124.42	71.0	120.18	118.56	122.67
Price To Be Determined:									
8-16 lb. (Hens)		2.5		2.5		2.5			
16-24 lb. (Toms)		2.5		2.5		2.5			



Source: USDA AMS Poultry Market News & Analysis; www.ams.usda.gov/pymnhomepage

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Specialty Whole Body Turkeys - commodity pack or equivalent; consumer sizes; non-basted or equivalent w/o net and timer.

USDA ORGANIC	Price Range Average		
Fresh	Too few to report		
Frozen	Too few to report		

ANTIBIOTIC-FREE	Pric	Average		
Fresh	147.00	-	317.00	216.67
Frozen	Too few to report			

This information will be published each week through the remainder of the Oct-Dec holiday marketing season.

FREE RANGE	Price Range	Average	
Fresh	Too few to report		
Frozen	Too few to report		

Note: averages reflect the simple average of the range of reported prices.

¹ Specialty includes free-range, antibiotice-free, and USDA Certified Organic birds (grown and processed according to USDA's national organic standards and certified by USDA-accredited State and private certification organizations. For more information, visit www.ams.usda.gov/nop/.